

Torrance Eagle Scout Named Dinner Speaker

Robert Halliwell, of 3723 West 226 st., has been named boy speaker of the 13th annual Eagle Scout Recognition Dinner which will be held at the Biltmore Bowl on October 29. Halliwell was chosen as the speaker over 11 other Boy Scouts, all winners in their own districts of the Los Angeles Area Council, Boy Scouts of America.

A student at North High, Halliwell is on the Student Council and is commissioner of Clubs. He is a member of Scout Troop 966 in the South Bay District, and among his scouting awards are the public speaking merit badge, the God and Country award, and the Silver Moccasin

award, which he received after hiking the 65 mile Silver Moccasin Trail through the San Gabriel Mountain Range twice.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Halliwell.

At the Eagle Scout Recognition Dinner, more than 400 prominent business and professional men will host an equal number of outstanding local boys, all Eagle Scouts. The men and boys will be matched according to the man's profession and the career the boy would like to follow as an adult.

Dr. Arnold O. Beckman, founder-president of Beckman Instruments Co., is chairman of the Eagle dinner, which has as its theme, "Preparedness."



EAGLE SCOUT SPEAKER—Robert Mooney, left, Director of Activities for the Los Angeles Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, congratulates Robert S. Halliwell, of Torrance, who has been selected boy speaker at the 13th annual Eagle Scout Recognition Dinner. The affair will be held October 29 at the Biltmore Bowl.

New Y Men's Club Plans Xmas Tree Sale

The Torrance Y's Men's club, sponsored by the Torrance YMCA, has reached full stature in the last few weeks as the city's newest men's service club.

With 24 active members, between the ages of 21 and 36, the YMCA service group is enjoying a wealth of activities. The men meet on the first and third Tuesday evenings for a dinner-meeting at the YMCA, followed by excellent programs. At the last meeting, the men were hosts to a YMCA youth delegation from Europe.

Their next meeting, to be held on Tuesday, November 5, will feature a program regarding the Torrance Recreation department, with Recreation Director Harry Van Bellehem as their speaker. President Paul Burnham cordially invites all men interested to attend this meeting.

Plans are being completed for the new club to sell Christmas trees this year in order to provide funds for service projects in behalf of the youth of Torrance.

The group's Christmas tree

Stauffer to Step Up Superphosphate

Stauffer Chemical Company will enlarge its Richmond, plant to produce 50,000 tons annually of pelletized single superphosphate, Roger W. Gunder, Stauffer Vice President for Western Operations announced this week.

The new plant will use a unique process developed by Stauffer engineers, in cooperation with a Southwestern engineering firm, and is expected to be in production about March 15, 1958. To cost about \$350,000, the new plant will supply single superphosphate, widely used by Western growers, in a uniform pelleted, dust-free form.

Until the new plant is in production next March, Gunder said, growers will be supplied with pelletized single superphosphate from Stauffer's Vernon plant which was built in 1955.

chairman, Sam Van Wagner, announced that a lot has been donated at the corner of Arlington ave., and Torrance blvd. for the sale of trees. Van Wagner stated that YMCA youngsters will spur sales by selling tickets toward the purchase of a tree.

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Lomita Youth Wins Army Promotion

Larry N. Forsberg, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Forsberg, 1748 W. 256 st., Lomita, recently was promoted to specialist third class while a member of the 11th Airborne Division in Germany.

Forsberg, an automatic rifleman in Company C of the division's 505th Infantry, entered the Army in January, 1955 and

Uncle Sam to Send 'Greetings' to Babies

Torrance's newly born babies will be the subject of a letter from Uncle Sam soon after their own arrival.

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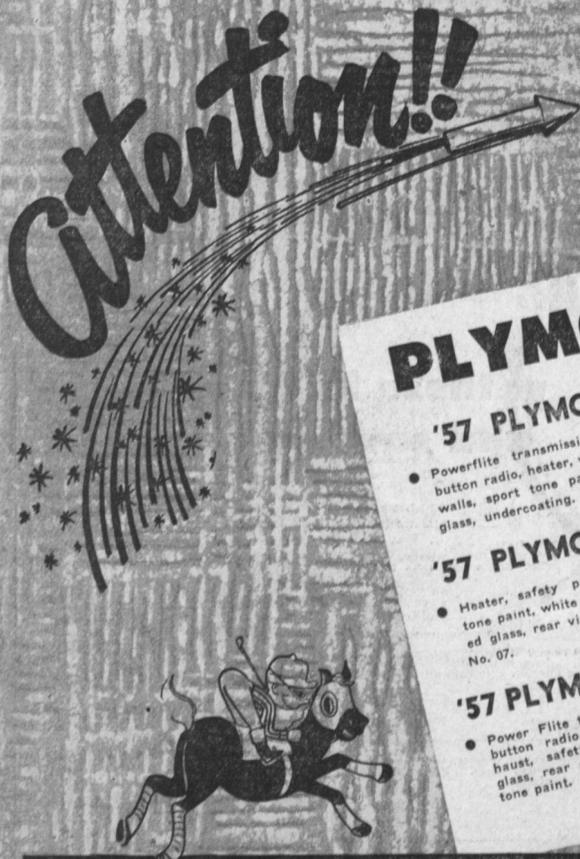
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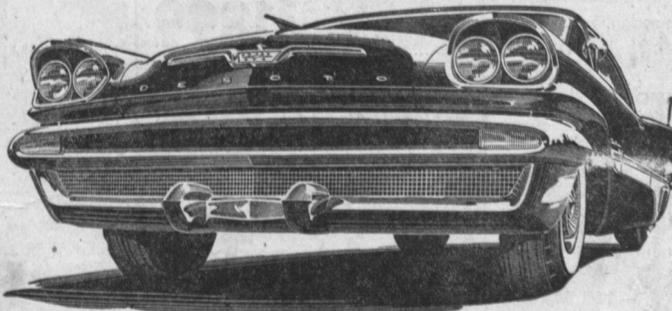
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